



# National Wildfire Coordinating Group

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## National Incident Management Organization

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### Implementation Task Group

#### Briefing Paper #1

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#### **Introduction:**

The National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCWG) has accepted the findings and recommendations of the *National Interagency Complex Incident Management Organization Study (February, 2005)*. Based on this study, NWCWG has formed, chartered, and delegated authority to a task group to develop an implementation plan (NIMO Phase II) for the report recommendations. The NIMO Implementation Task Group will be an interagency group which will work with other task groups, specialists, committees and working teams to produce a final draft plan to be delivered to the NWCWG at their October 2005 meeting.

#### **Mission Statement:**

Develop a feasibility, implementation and communication plan for the recommended organizational option and the nine key recommendations from the *National Interagency Complex Incident Management Organization Study (February, 2005)*. The plan will be delivered to the National Wildfire Coordinating Group in October 2005.

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#### **For Further Information:**

Additional information on the implementation of the National Incident Management Organization can be found at the NIMO Implementation Task Group web-page:

[www.nifc.gov/nimo](http://www.nifc.gov/nimo)

